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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **WEDNESDAY**, **SEPTEMBER 8**, 1999, upon the application of **REEF EXPLORATION INC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cibicides hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, and 11,000' Zone, Reservoir A, in the North Hayes Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

CIBICIDES HAZZARDI SAND, RESERVOIR A, SUB

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cibicides hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, SUB.
- 2. To create a single drilling and production unit for this sand and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
- 3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created.
- 4. To provide that any well drilled outside of the Cibicides hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, SUB, shall be in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
- 5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
- 6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cibicides hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, in the North Hayes Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 609-B, effective June 8, 1973 and is hereby further defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 10,682' and 10,855' electric log measured depths (10,605' and 10,757' - true vertical depths) in the Reef Exploration, Inc. - L & H Partnership No. 1 Well located in Section 36, Township 10 South, Range 6 West.

11,000' ZONE, RESERVOIR A, SUA, SUB AND SUC

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 11,000' Zone, Reservoir A, SUA, SUB and SUC.
- 2. To create three drilling and production units for this zone and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so crated.
- 3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the units co created.
- 4. To provide that any wells drilled outside of the 11,000' Zone, Reservoir A, SUA, SUB and SUC, shall be in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order

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- 5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
- 6. To recognize the 11,000' Zone, Reservoir A, as a new reservoir for purposes of Act 2 of 1994 (LA. R.S. 47:648.1 et seq), as that reservoir was neither penetrated nor produced by a well prior to September 30, 1994.
- 7. To recognize the Reef Exploration, Inc. L & H Partnership No. 1 Well as a Discovery Well for purposes of Act 2 of 1994 (LA. R.S. 47:648.1 et seq) as a result of its completion in the 11,000' Zone, Reservoir A.
- 8. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 11,000' Zone, Reservoir A, in the North Hayes Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 11,162' and 11,450' electric log measured depths (11,026' and 11,274' - true vertical depths) in the Reef Exploration, Inc. - L & H Partnership No. 1 Well located in Section 36, Township 10 South, Range 6 West.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 7/29/99;8/3/99 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (504) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.